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06 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
07 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

08 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) CASE NO. MJ 09-30  
09 Plaintiff, )  
10 v. )  
11 HEATHER CONLEY, ) DETENTION ORDER  
12 Defendant. )  
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14 Offense charged: Conspiracy to Distribute Cocaine and Heroin

15 Date of Detention Hearing: Initial appearance, January 28, 2009

16 The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and  
17 based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds  
18 that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure  
19 the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

20 FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

21 (1) Defendant is charged by Complaint with conspiracy to distribute cocaine and  
22 heroin.

01           (2)     Defendant does not contest detention. She was not interviewed by Pretrial  
02 Services, and her background information is limited. She is apparently currently unemployed and  
03 her employment background is not available at this time. She has been under the supervision of  
04 both the U.S. Probation Service and the U.S Pretrial Services for a prior offence, during which  
05 she tested positive for methamphetamine and cocaine. She is said to self-report marijuana use.  
06 Her criminal history includes current supervision by the probation office in this District, with some  
07 violations reported by her probation officer. Her criminal history also includes warrant activity  
08 for failures to appear and to serve commitment time.

09           (3)     Defendant poses a risk of nonappearance due to a history of failing to comply with  
10 court ordered supervision, a history of drug and alcohol use, and a history of failing to appear for  
11 court hearings, as well as her current status on probation. She poses a risk of danger due to the  
12 nature and circumstances of the charged offenses, her criminal history and history of drug use.

13           (4)     There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will  
14 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the danger  
15 to other persons or the community.

16 It is therefore ORDERED:

17           (1)     Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
18 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent  
19 practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody  
20 pending appeal;

21           (2)     Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
22 counsel;

01 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
02 Government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is  
03 confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of  
04 an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

05 (4) The clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
06 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States  
07 Pretrial Services Officer.

08 DATED this 28th day of January, 2009.

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10 Mary Alice Theiler  
11 United States Magistrate Judge  
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